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Rep. Miner Appointed to Statewide Planning and Development Committee



State Representative Craig Miner, R-66th, has been reappointed to the state planning and development committee charged with establishing broad goals and objectives for the physical and economic development for the entire state.

House Minority Leader Robert M. Ward, R-North Branford, reappointed Rep. Miner to the 10-member Legislative Committee on State Planning and Development.

“Craig Miner continues to be extremely effective legislator for his district and the State of Connecticut as a whole,” said Rep. Ward. “During his first term as Ranking Member (House Republican Leader) of the Legislature’s Planning and Development Committee, his common-sense approach to planning and development issues was clearly an asset and his experience is invaluable to the statewide panel as well.”

Rep. Ward has also reappointed Rep. Miner Ranking Member of the Legislature’s Planning and Development Committee for the 2005-2006 Legislative Sessions. The committee has cognizance of all matters relating to local governments, housing, urban renewal, fire, sewer and metropolitan districts, home rule and planning and zoning; regional planning and development activities and the state plan of conservation and development, and economic development programs impacting local governments.

“I am honored to be reappointed to both the statewide and legislative committee,” said Rep. Miner. “Planning and development issues present a unique challenge in determining ways to expand the state’s economy, while protecting the character of each community and preserving open space.”

Representative Miner represents the towns of Bethlehem, Morris, Warren and sections of Litchfield and Woodbury in the General Assembly.